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Inventors Hougham et al. ✓

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For: DEFORMABLE COATED WICK LIQUID SPILLED MATERIAL TRANSFER —

NOTICE OF APPEAL  
FROM THE EXAMINER  
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated 4/15/03 of the examiner, finally rejecting claims 6 – 11 and 16, all the claims in the above identified application.

A deposit account charge authorization on Deposit Account 50 – 0510 for the \$320.00 notice of Appeal Fee is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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